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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period for filing a response to the Office Action dated January 20, 2004 be extended by three months, i.e. from April 20, 2004 to July 20, 2004.

Enclosed is a check for the \$950.00 statutory extension fee for filing a response within the third month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) by other than a small entity.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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